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In re Application of

Strohecker et al.

Application No. 10/629,333

Filed: July 29, 2003

For: Grinder Pump Tank

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), filed May 13, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (Notice) mailed October 27, 2003. The Notice set a period for reply of two (2) months from the mail date of the Notice. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on December 28, 2004. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on October 26, 2004.

The Terminal Disclaimer filed on May 13, 2005 is not required since the application was not filed prior to June 8, 1995. Therefore, the Terminal Disclaimer has not been accepted and will not be entered, but will be placed in the application file. The fee for filing the Terminal Disclaimer will be credited to petitioner's deposit account.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b).

This matter is being referred to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3282.

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